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Student Eligibility Request Form

Form ID Number
20150779

Type of Waiver

Transfer to School with Affiliation without Change of Joint Residence Hardship Appeal
OSAA Rule 8.6 - Send directly to District Athletic Committee

Submitted 2/24/2016
2015-16 School Year

Sherman High School Information

65912 High School Loop
Moro, OR 97039
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Student Information

Makoa B. Whitaker

DOB: 1/20/2000

Age: 16 years 1 month (as of 2/24/16)

Current Address

Rick Whitaker
Parent (Mother/Father)
301 1st St.
PO Box 96
Moro, OR 97039

Last Year's Address

Rick & Destiny Whitaker
Parent (Mother/Father)
3233 Odell Hwy
Hood River, OR 97031

coachwhit55@gmail.com

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(541) 705-0122

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Attends: Sherman High School
Previous: Horizon Christian School

Grade: 10

Has IEP? No

Meeting IEP? N/A

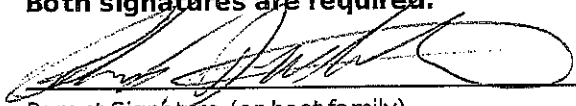
Enrollment Record

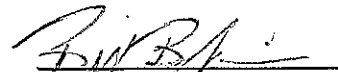
SY	GR Period	Dates	School	# Credits Earned	# Classes Passed
2014-15	9 1st Semester	9/8/14 to 1/21/15	Horizon Christian School	3.5	7

Affirmation Statement

Under penalty of perjury, I do affirm that no coach, parent, administrator, teacher, or other representative of the current school initiated contact or offered any inducements for the purpose of having the student attend the current school for athletic participation. Further, I authorize release of permanent school records to the Oregon School Activities Association.

Both signatures are required.


Parent Signature (or host family)


Principal / Superintendent

Directions

Ensure the Affirmation Statement section has both signatures. Send this printed Student Eligibility Request Form and any attached files to your District Athletic Committee. Do not send this to the OSAA office. Keep a copy for your school's records. Allow five business days for your request to be processed. Once a decision is made, the District Athletic Committee will notify your school.


Send a printed version of this form directly to your District Athletic Committee with any other printed attachments.

District Athletic Committee Decision

This section is to be filled out by the District Athletic Committee. Once a decision has been made, the committee shall contact the school regarding the outcome and forward a copy of this completed form and any supplemental materials to the OSAA office.

Tack Henderson
Chairperson's Name (print)

3-2-16
Date


Chairperson's Signature

☒ Approved

☐ Denied

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Chairperson's School & Position

Notes:

Appeals Process

Appeals of decisions made by the District Athletic Committee are heard by the OSAA Eligibility Appeals Board. Appeals must be requested in writing, or e-mail, and submitted to the OSAA Executive Director.

Any party filing an appeal of a decision made by the District Athletic Committee to the OSAA Eligibility Appeals Board shall be assessed a filing fee of \$100 to defray the costs to the Association of assembling the respective appeals bodies to hear the appeal.

If a waiver is denied by the OSAA Eligibility Appeals Board, an appeal can be made to a Hearings Officer under OSAA Handbook Rule 9, "Hearings Officer." Appeals to the Hearings Officer shall include an appeal fee of \$250.

For additional information, please refer to the OSAA Handbook available at www.osaa.org/governance/handbooks.

Sherman, Jr. / Sr. High School

"Home of the Huskies"



February 19, 2016

Big Sky Conference – Hardship Committee

RE: Hardship Letter for Makoa Whitaker

Makoa Whitaker, a junior, has recently transferred to Sherman Jr/Sr High School from Horizon Christian High School of Hood River. Makoa had been at Horizon Christian since elementary school and had regular attendance and passed all of his classes during the last semester. Makoa's parents are currently going through a divorce and he is living with his father and one of his brothers in Sherman County. Makoa's mother still lives in Hood River where she resides with three of his four brothers.

Makoa has always been involved in athletics and would like to participate in track during the spring of 2016. The athletic director from his previous school is supportive of this hardship.

Sincerely,

Bill Blevins
Principal

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to affirm and confirm that Makoa Whitaker was a student in good standing at Horizon Christian School up to the time of his transfer to Sherman County High School. Makoa was a regular attendee and participated well in classes and with his peers. Academically, Makoa maintained passing grades in each of his seven classes, and was able to participate in Soccer and Basketball. Although his presence will be missed at Horizon I am excited to see what God has in store for him at Sherman High. I am in full support of his participation and would be more than happy to help in any way that I can.

Sincerely,

Brian Stenberg, Athletic Director

To Who this may concern:

This Reason for Makoa B Whitaker moving to Sherman County (mojo) is because of a divorce and split custody. I Really Feel that by him being able to continue sports at Sherman High. it will help him Emotionally and academically

Thank (father)
Rick Whitaker